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Cholly Knickerbocker Says:

...Not very many patrons of Mr. Marx, the St. Regis barber, are aware that the man tickling their throats with a razor is the half brother of Marshal Zhukov, no less, the new strong man of the Red Army

...Then, of course, Foreign Minister Molotov has a brother-in-law in New York, the notorious Mr. Sam Karp.

EVERYWHERE ONE HEARS COMMENTS about Stavros Niarchos's new fleet of giant tankers, a post-war wonder of the world, which are the feature of a special supplement of the Journal of Commerce and Shipping Telegraph. The companies of the Niarchos group have in commission or under construction 27 superbly equipped craft totalling more than 800,000 tons. A sketch of the personality who heads the concern is given in an article entitled "Odyssey of a leading Greek shipowner." It tells how Niarchos, who in 1946 owned two tramp steamers in the Piraeus, arose to become one of the leading figures in the shipping world. He realized that bigger and bigger oil tankers were the key to world transport—and incidentally a huge fortune.

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